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This report contains the results from the **Weekly Broiler Hatchery Report**. These data are also posted on our web site at https://www.nass.usda.gov/la and in a more detailed report at https://www.nass.usda.gov. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set Down 1 Percent from Last Year

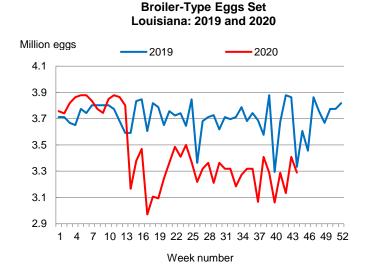
Louisiana hatcheries set 3.29 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending October 31, 2020, down 1 percent from the comparable week in 2019 and down 4 percent from the previous week.

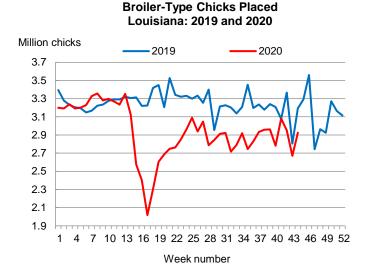
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 218 million eggs in incubators during the week ending October 31, 2020, down 3 percent from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Down 8 Percent

Louisiana broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 2.93 million chicks during the week ending October 31, 2020, down 8 percent from the comparable week in 2019 but up 10 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 177 million chicks for meat production during the week ending October 31, 2020, down slightly from a year ago.





Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2020

	Week ending							
State	September 26,	October 3,	October 10,	October 17,	October 24,	October 31,		
	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020		
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)		
Alabama Arkansas Delaware Florida Georgia Kentucky Louisiana Maryland Mississippi	32,262	30,556	31,994	31,127	31,018	30,042		
	23,256	23,183	21,748	21,617	21,979	21,504		
	4,015	4,264	4,264	4,264	4,446	4,458		
	1,163	1,209	1,209	1,209	1,209	1,209		
	33,857	32,711	32,874	32,839	32,906	32,578		
	7,372	7,710	7,025	7,021	7,846	7,200		
	3,288	3,062	3,288	3,133	3,409	3,289		
	7,901	7,631	7,635	7,640	7,631	7,602		
	16,812	15,568	16,319	15,907	16,804	16,667		
North Carolina Oklahoma Pennsylvania South Carolina Texas Virginia CA, TN & WV	8,299	8,521	8,938	8,072	8,149	7,822		
	23,829	22,027	22,193	22,056	23,586	22,952		
	6,682	6,170	6,451	6,215	6,443	6,195		
	6,222	6,091	6,305	6,311	6,098	6,089		
	5,631	5,339	5,389	5,605	5,639	5,608		
	16,434	15,682	16,601	16,711	16,667	17,447		
	6,320	5,054	6,320	6,205	6,212	5,744		
	12,341	11,055	13,135	12,107	11,933	11,531		
Other States	10,327	10,598	11,642	11,393	10,139	10,109		
	226,011	216,431	223,330	219,432	222,114	218,046		
	100	99	102	98	97	97		

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed - Selected States and United States: 2020

	Week ending							
State	September 26,	October 3,	October 10,	October 17,	October 24,	October 31,		
	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2020		
	(1,000 chicks)							
Alabama Arkansas Delaware Florida Georgia Kentucky Louisiana Maryland Mississippi Missouri	23,215	23,792	22,722	23,846	21,968	21,296		
	20,954	20,857	21,643	20,993	20,480	19,882		
	5,427	4,170	5,120	4,933	4,645	5,108		
	1,282	1,279	1,219	1,305	1,338	1,249		
	25,765	26,170	25,324	26,195	25,182	25,818		
	6,832	5,298	6,040	5,825	5,780	5,682		
	2,961	2,782	3,081	2,950	2,671	2,925		
	4,944	5,539	4,197	4,920	4,581	3,781		
	13,659	13,919	13,587	14,313	13,275	13,936		
	5,873	6,454	5,404	5,371	5,564	6,201		
North Carolina Oklahoma Pennsylvania South Carolina Texas Virginia CA, TN, and WV	18,408	18,214	18,517	19,129	18,333	17,692		
	4,493	3,781	3,111	4,242	4,329	3,692		
	4,825	4,802	4,796	4,698	4,595	4,784		
	4,702	5,191	5,139	5,113	4,069	4,982		
	13,365	13,675	13,389	13,590	12,953	13,750		
	5,668	5,229	5,422	6,019	4,762	6,302		
	10,598	11,374	9,963	10,030	9,884	10,592		
Other States United States Percent of previous year	8,414	8,737	8,574	8,174	8,389	9,364		
	181,385	181,263	177,248	181,646	172,798	177,036		
	99	101	97	99	98	100		